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Serial No. 09/453,586 ) Group Art Unit: 2673  
Filed: December 3, 1999 ) Examiner: Nguyen, Jimmy H.

For: ELECTRO-OPTICAL DEVICE AND )  
METHOD OF DRIVING AND )  
MANUFACTURING THE SAME )

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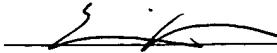
Sir:

Applicants acknowledge with appreciation the Official Action mailed April 8,  
2002.

The Official Action did not, however, include an initialed Form PTO-1449  
acknowledging the Information Disclosure Statement filed March 7, 2002. Therefore, it  
is respectfully requested that the Examiner evidence consideration of the references cited  
in the Information Disclosure Statement of March 7, 2002 by providing a copy of the  
initialed Form PTO-1449.

If a conference would be beneficial in expediting the prosecution of the instant  
application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned to arrange such a  
conference.

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